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Dear Ed:

I think that things are getting too out of hand for the INFORMAL news network.

As money is the major restriction, the sophisticated equipment you are asking for is just out of the question. If you refer back to the last letter I sent you, I explained the procedure we had discussed. Every station has a beeper--every station can take an Ivy news beeper, that beeper can be edited on a master playback unit (which does not coat much money) and that would be the only automated ~~xxxxxxx~~ device...in other words...just dial the number to get all the tapes, dial the main station news number to have one recorded. This will not be a rigid, nightly service, let's not jump the gun... but lets at least get the damn thing underway.

If you are persistent in this rigid, formal, automation thing, I think now ~~xxx~~ is the time to think otherwise.... lets be reasonable.

The news network will be in service by January, if all goes well. You will be hearing from WTBS (MIT) as to the equipment.

Again, lets not go over the deep end, lets try it out the way I've described it and LETS SEE WHAT HAPPENS.

Regards,

George F Schweitzer

CC: RL